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**PURPOSE:** To inform the Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services (OATELS), Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training (BAT) staff of new National Guideline Standards for CVS/pharmacy:

Pharmacy Support Staff:

0844A - Level I – Pharmacy Service Associate (200 - 300 On-the-Job Learning hours)

0844B - Level II – Pharmacy Support Technician (800 - 1,000 OJL hours)

0844C – Level III - Lead Pharmacy Technician (1,000 - 1,200 OJL hours)

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Training Term: 2,000 – 2,500 hours

Type of Training: Competency - Based

**BACKGROUND:** CVS/pharmacy has indicated an interest over the past few years in establishing the Registered Apprenticeship training model in various stores in different parts of the country, as the company grows and expands its community reach. There is already an apprenticeship program for different types of store personnel in Washington, D.C. CVS/pharmacy has developed National Guideline Standards to begin expanding apprenticeship programs nationally, starting with Pharmacy Support and expanding next into the Detroit area market, where ATR Dave Jackson has actively engaged CVS.

A copy of the standards is attached for your information.

If you have any questions please contact Ken Lemberg at (202) 693-3836.

**ACTION:** OATELS/BAT staff should familiarize themselves with this bulletin and the attached National Guideline Standards, as a source for developing apprenticeship standards and/or providing technical assistance.

**NOTE:** This Bulletin is being sent via electronic mail.

Attachment(s)

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